I am respectfully writing to ask the Commission to not make changes to Part 97 and to preserve the United States Amateur Radio service and its privileges and band allocation in their current form.

The service provides value to the public by providing users a means to train on radio communications technology and methods for emergency preparedness.

The service prepares a new generation of young people to study wireless technology, furthering math and science education, and enabling future innovation.

Over the past 100 years, Amateur Radio as a regulated service has benefited the public and its users and I request that you please allow it to thrive in its current form.

Sincerely,
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